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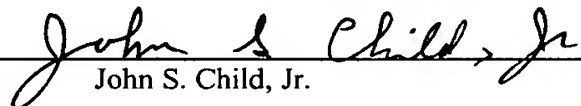
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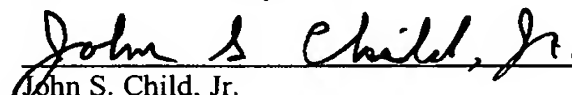
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Applicant's Amendment and Response is to an United States Patent and Trademark Office Examiner's Communication dated March 23, 2006. In the Communication, the examiner gave Applicant one month, *i.e.*, until April 23, 2006, to reply to the Communication. Accordingly, Applicant's Amendment and Response is timely as it is being filed on April 20, 2006, with a Certificate of Mailing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.